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- 1. The Notice to File Missing Parts of Application.
- 2. The executed Declaration.
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- 4. A check in the amount of \$1194.00 in payment of the basic filing fee of \$740.00, the \$324.00 additional claim fee, and the surcharge of \$130.00 for late submission of the Declaration.

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Respectfully submitted,

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
 Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
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 - \$324 for 18 total claims over 20.
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